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This Amendment is filed in response to the Notice of Allowability mailed February 23, 2006, which provides for a response period ending May 23, 2006.

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Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. 1.312 dated May 3, 2006 Response to Notice of Allowability dated February 23, 2006

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.

The Transmittal of Issue Fee is being filed concurrently herewith.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: